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**Beef**

IMPS#	Description	Wts	lbs./loads	Avg	Change Prv/wk
<b>Boxed Beef Cuts, Select 1-3</b>					
113C	Chuck, Semi-bnls, neck/off		52,192	210.58	4.35
115	Chuck, 2-pc bnls	50-80 Lbs			--
116A	Chuck Roll, n/o 1x1	13-25 Lbs	1,030,478	245.08	9.65
120	Brisket	6-14 Lbs	492,523	194.36	2.57
123A	Short Rib	1-4 Lbs	39,283	437.66	10.97
160	Round, Bn-in	50-85 Lbs	8,660	207.69	5.56
161	Round, Bnls	42-80 Lbs	10,175	218.24	9.37
168	Inside Round	14-26 Lbs	560,444	198.76	3.02
170	Gooseneck Round	18-33 Lbs	9,943	208.54	16.73
	Blended Coarse ground 81%		218,825	199.59	-3.21
	Blended Coarse ground 85%				--

**Cow Cuts/Boneless Processing Items**

Boneless Chuck 85%		176,200	182.81	-0.42
Top Inside Round (168)	10-up Lbs	61,716	225.64	2.85

**Boneless Processing Beef/  
Beef Trimmings, Fresh**

90% Chemical Lean		3,772,268	198.98	-5.08
50% Chemical Lean		3,860,277	89.31	-5.15

**Pork - FOB Plant**

1/4" Trimmed Loin VAC		1,501	122.99	5.15
1/4" Trim Butt VAC		4,973	118.98	1.46
Trm'd Spareribs - LGT		1,695	148.89	2.73

Trm'd Selected Ham	17-20 Lbs	85	92.01	0.04
Trm'd Selected Ham	20-23 Lbs	995	89.85	-0.71

Skin-on Belly	14-16 Lbs	201	158.66	--
Skin-on Belly	16-18 Lbs	126	164.67	--
Picnic Meat Combo Cushion Out		752	90.48	-0.62
72% Trim Combo		1,602	76.77	8.98

**Dairy Market News**  
**Madison, WI – (608)278-4150**

**Butter**

Bulk butter, f.o.b. producing plant, national price range, truckload quantities			
	This Week		Last Week
	1.5600 – 1.6800		1.5100 – 1.6200

**American Cheese**

Process cheese, 5-pound loaf, national price range, dollars per lb			
	This Week		Last Week
	1.9025 – 2.6775		1.9375 - 2.7125

**Fluid Milk – October 2013**

Base prices paid for raw milk by Class I milk processors, dollars per gallon			
Product	Price Level	Change from Prv/Month	Change from Prv/Year
Class I Base (3.5%)	1.6509	0.0034	0.0275
Whole Milk	1.6220	0.0048	0.0388
Reduced Fat Milk (2%)	1.4831	0.0125	0.0982
Fat-free Milk	1.3126	0.0219	0.1695

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**National Whole Broiler Fryer – Whole Body**

<b>New York</b> 92.35	<b>Chicago</b> 88.37	<b>Los Angeles</b> 93.00
Negotiated prices in trucklot and less-than-trucklot quantities of ready-to-cook whole body broiler/fryers delivered to first receivers; prices in cents per pound; volume in thousands of pounds.		

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**Broiler/Fryer Parts Bulk** - Ready-to-Cook, Ice-packed, cents/lb.  
 Weekly Weighted Average Price

	<b>Breast B/S</b>	<b>Leg Quarters</b>
Northeast (Delivered)	144.38	51.01
Southern States (FOB)	137.91	50.20

**National Turkeys** - Frozen Whole Body Trading, (commodity pack or equivalent; min. 10,000 lb. lots) U.S. Grade A, FOB Shipper Dock basis

	<b>Wtd Avg (cents/lb.)</b>	<b>Volume (000 lbs.)</b>
<b>8-16 lb. (Hens)</b>	102.88	321
<b>16-24 lb. (Toms)</b>	103.28	206

<sup>1</sup> Based on offers

**Table Eggs - LARGE**, sales to volume buyers, white (in cartons), cents/doz.

<b>Delivered Warehouse</b>	<b>Delivered Store Door Metropolitan Areas</b>
<b>USDA Grade A &amp; Grade A</b>	<b>USDA Grade A &amp; Grade A</b>
Northeast	New York 120-124
Southeast	Midwest 102-110
Midwest	<b>USDA Grade AA &amp; Grade AA</b>
South Central	Southern CA 116-128

**National Egg Products** - F.O.B. Shipper Dock Basis; Wholesale prices; cents per pound unless otherwise noted.

**Liquid** - non-pasteurized in trucklots, current trading for delivery within 14 days. (Range)

<b>Whole</b>	<b>Whites</b>	<b>Yolks</b>
76.00-78.00	85.00- 95.00	TFEWR

**Frozen** - Packed in 30-pound containers; less-than-trucklot reflects a minimum volume of 25 containers. (Range)

	<b>Trucklot</b>	<b>Less-than-Trucklot</b>
<b>Whole</b>	96.00- 101.00	98.00-100.00
<b>Whites</b>	98.00- 102.00	100.00- 102.00

**Dried** - Prices in dollars per pound; in containers; includes trucklot & less-than-trucklot volumes. (Range)

<b>Whole</b>	<b>Yolk</b>	<b>Blends<sup>1/</sup></b>
3.30-3.65	1.90-2.35	2.80-2.85

<sup>1/</sup> Whole plus sweetener.

**Fruit & Vegetable Market News**  
**Washington, DC – (202)720-2745**

**Fruits**

Apples, Red Delicious, WAExFancy, cartons tray pack, 100s, Yakima Valley and Wenatchee District, Washington	17.50
Pears, Bartlett, U.S. One, 4/5 bushel cartons wrapped, 100s, Yakima Valley and Wenatchee District	21.00
Grapes, 19 pound containers bagged, Crimson Seedless, large-extra large, Kern District, California	17.05
Thompson Seedless large-extra large, San Joaquin Valley, California	14.55
Strawberries, 8-1 pound containers with lids, medium-large, Salinas-Watsonville, California	9.00
Oranges, 7/10 bushel cartons, Valencia, 88s, Shippers first grade, South and Central District, California	15.28
Peaches, Yellow Flesh varieties, 25 pound cartons loose, 54-56 size, Central and Southern San Joaquin Valley, California	16.05
Watermelons, Red Flesh Seedless Type, 24 inch bins per pound, 45 count, Texas and Oklahoma	.19

**Vegetables**

Broccoli, Bunched 14s, Cartons, Salinas-Watsonville California	18.48
Carrots, medium-large Sacks, 48 1-lb film bags, Kern District, California	14.20
Celery, 2 1/2 dozen, cartons, Salinas-Watsonville California	9.80
Lettuce, Iceberg, 24s, cartons film lined, Salinas-Watsonville California	13.84
Peppers, Bell Type, Green, 1 1/9 bushel cartons, large, San Joaquin Valley California	11.48
Tomatoes, 25 pound cartons loose, Mature Greens, large, Central District California	7.45
Onions, Yellow Spanish Hybrid, 50 pound sacks, Jumbo, Idaho and Malheur County, Oregon	7.25
Potatoes, Russet Burbank, U.S. One, 50 pound cartons, 70s, Upper Valley Twin Falls-Burley District Idaho	12.00
Simple average of week ending prices of stated grades or stock of generally good merchantable quality & condition. Prices f.o.b. shipping point basis. Dollars per unit.	